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HOUSE MOTION _____

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that House Bill 1137 be amended to read as follows:

- 1 Page 10, between lines 8 and 9, begin a new paragraph and insert:
- 2 **"Sec. 8. (a) The office may do the following:**
- 3 **(1) Develop an overall strategy and architecture for the use of**
- 4 **information technology by political subdivisions.**
- 5 **(2) Assist a political subdivision in coordinating the operations**
- 6 **of the various information technology systems used by a**
- 7 **political subdivision if requested by the political subdivision.**
- 8 **(3) Provide consulting and technical advisory services to**
- 9 **political subdivisions when requested.**
- 10 **(4) Review a political subdivision's information technology**
- 11 **project plans and information technology expenditures if**
- 12 **requested by the political subdivision.**
- 13 **(5) Develop and maintain policies, procedures, and guidelines**
- 14 **for the effective use of information technology in interactions**
- 15 **between political subdivisions and state agencies.**
- 16 **(b) The office may require a director of information technology**
- 17 **services or other knowledgeable individuals employed by a political**
- 18 **subdivision to advise and assist the office in exercising the powers**
- 19 **granted in this section.**
- 20 **(c) The office may develop information technology policies for**
- 21 **political subdivisions that promote economical, effective, and**
- 22 **integrated information technology services, technology**
- 23 **accessibility, operational security, and adherence to the principles**
- 24 **of the code of fair information practices for individual privacy.**
- 25 **(d) The office may conduct studies and reviews that the office**

1 **considers necessary to promote the use of high quality, cost**
 2 **effective information technology within local government with**
 3 **adequate protections of the individual citizen's interests in personal**
 4 **privacy."**

5 Page 19, between lines 38 and 39, begin a new paragraph and insert:
 6 "SECTION 25. IC 6-1.1-31.5-3.5 IS AMENDED TO READ AS
 7 FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2005]: Sec. 3.5. (a) After
 8 December 31, 1998, each county shall maintain a state certified
 9 computer system that has the capacity to:

- 10 (1) process and maintain assessment records;
- 11 (2) process and maintain standardized property tax forms;
- 12 (3) process and maintain standardized property assessment
- 13 notices;
- 14 (4) maintain complete and accurate assessment records for the
- 15 county; and
- 16 (5) process and compute complete and accurate assessments in
- 17 accordance with Indiana law.

18 The county assessor with the recommendation of the township
 19 assessors shall select the computer system used by township assessors
 20 and the county assessor in the county except in a county with a
 21 township assessor elected under IC 36-6-5-1 in every township. In a
 22 county with an elected township assessor under IC 36-6-5-1 in every
 23 township, the elected township assessors shall select a computer system
 24 based on a majority vote of the township assessors in the county.

25 (b) All information on the computer system shall be readily
 26 accessible to:

- 27 (1) township assessors;
- 28 (2) the county assessor;
- 29 (3) the department of local government finance; and
- 30 (4) members of the county property tax assessment board of
- 31 appeals.

32 (c) The certified system used by the counties must be compatible
 33 with the data export and transmission requirements in a standard format
 34 prescribed by the ~~department of local government finance~~ **office of**
 35 **technology established by IC 4-13.1-2-1**. The certified system must
 36 be maintained in a manner that ensures prompt and accurate transfer of
 37 data to the department.

38 (d) All standardized property forms and notices on the certified
 39 computer system shall be maintained by the township assessor and the

- 1 county assessor in an accessible location and in a format that is easily
- 2 understandable for use by persons of the county.".
- 3 Renumber all SECTIONS consecutively.
(Reference is to HB 1137 as printed February 1, 2005.)

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